

COHASSET
US Rt. 601, approx. 1 mile
north of Crocketville
Crocketville vicinity
Hampton County
South Carolina

HABS No. SC-601

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE South Carolina	COUNTY Hampton	TOWN OR VICINITY Crocketville
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Cohasset (NR Nomination)		HABS NO.
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) Approximately 1 mile north of Crocketville on US 601		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) c. 1873 (NR Nomination)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Unknown	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Excellent example of Carolina I house, a vernacular house type popular from the late 18th through the early 20th century. Associated with William James Gooding, a cotton farmer who played a locally important role in politics and government. In addition, the property, which *		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Carolina I		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Frame, weatherboard-clad structure built with pine.		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Rectangular with side-gabled roof. It is central-hall plan farm residence resting on a raised masonry basement.		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE The brick foundation, laid in common bond, evidences Flemish bond patterned stenciling, a decorative feature that usually occurs on houses with an earlier construction date. Another unusual feature is the batten shutters, some of which have the original bar hinges and pintles.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) The dog-leg staircase in the central hall has a turned newel post and balusters of mahogany. The first floor has two main rooms, which flank the central hall. These rooms feature plain wooden mantels and horizontal, random-width, flushboard paneling (from nine to sixteen inches in width). **		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Unaltered		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Good condition. Vacant		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE *includes several late 19th century outbuildings and a late 19th century tenant house, is significant for information it reveals about post Civil War agricultural practices. **Another interesting detail is the use of embossed hinges on the interior doors.		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Listed in National Register 7/24/86		
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